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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

HOLMBERG, P., ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION

SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION :
(BASED ON PCT EP98/07740)

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FOR: MAGNETIC ENERGY STORAGE :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-36 without prejudice or disclaimer and add Claims 37-79 as follows:

37. An SMES device comprising:
a switch configured to short circuit a coil; and
said coil configured to be connected in series with a voltage source and wound from a superconducting cable, said coil including
a superconductor maintained at cryogenic temperatures below a critical temperature during use, and